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She's only half the ship she used to be

AM I the only one to think that the vastly expensive remodelling and refurbishment of one of the Cutty Sark has reduced the old girl to only half the ship she used to be?

Before the fire which so sorely damaged the famous clipper, she could be seen in her entirety, in all her glory. What you can see now is mainly the riggings, the boat itself seems to have largely disappeared.

Why don't we remove the half of the glass hovercraft facing the main square so that the whole ship on that side is exposed?

You can still retain the other half to house the shop, café and museum. And you can

still charge people to board. (£10 for a family of four seems about right to me considering entry ticket prices for two adults and two children to the British Museum, V&A museum and Natural History museum is £0.00 while entry to the Cutty Sark is £54! Is the entrance price to the Cutty Sark value for money?

Terence Leahy, Greenwich

● Arron Hewett, general manager of the Cutty Sark said: "Royal Museums Greenwich is proud of the visitor experience at Cutty Sark. We welcome visitors from across the world, and have

had over a million visitors since the ship re-opened in 2012, with excellent feedback. The major conservation project (2006-2012) restored Cutty Sark to first-rate condition, the hull encased by a glass canopy, protecting it from the long-term damage caused by exposure to the elements in the previous dry dock and ensuring that its legacy remains for future generations. The project, which saw the ship lifted some 3m above the ground, has also enabled more of the ship to be accessible, including the addition of lifts. The cost of maintaining Cutty Sark is not subsidised through government funding as with national museums, such as the British Museum and the V&A. As with other historic vessels, such as HMS Belfast (£16) and SS Great Britain (£14), entry charges are vital to protect Cutty Sark and keep her open for our many visitors each year."

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KEN & JACKY FRANKLIN: 'A muntjac deer visited our garden on Shooters Hill a couple of weeks ago! We still can't quite believe it! We back on to Castle Woods, but had no idea there were deer about in any of the local woods. Has anybody else spotted him or members of his family?



URSULA KEENE: "I took this photo of two stags fighting in the 'Wilderness' at Greenwich Park"

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THE following meetings take place at the Town Hall, Wellington Street, unless stated otherwise.

March 10 – Children's Trust Board, 9.30am

March 14 – Health and wellbeing board, 2pm, committee rooms 4&5

March 15 – Eltham & Kidbooke area planning committee,

6.30pm, Eltham Centre, 1 Archery Road, Eltham; Avery Hill & Coldharbour local housing panel, 7-9pm, St Albans Church Hall, Southold Rise, Eltham

March 16 – Borough-wide housing panel, 7-9pm, The Gallery, Woolwich Centre

March 17 – Overview & Scrutiny, 7pm, committee room 4; Licensing review sub committee, 6.30pm

March 22 – Woolwich and Thamesmead area planning committee, 6.30pm, committee rooms 4&5, Eltham local housing panel, 7pm, St Mary's Community Centre, 180 Eltham High Street

March 23 – Cabinet, 6pm, council chamber; Special meeting council, 6.30pm, Victoria Hall, Town Hall.

March 29 – Overview & Scrutiny call in sub committee, 5.30pm, committee room 6

More information on 020 8921 5130 or at www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/meetings

All meeting dates and times are subject to change.

We would advise you to check before you travel.

Full council meetings can be viewed live at www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/webcast

Fair play

Borough celebrates a decade supporting Fairtrade



TASTY TREATS: pupils learn about the origins of Fairtrade produce and test out the smoothie bike

THE ROYAL borough celebrated its 10th year supporting struggling farmers and producers at the start of Fairtrade Fortnight 2016.

The fortnight runs from February 29 to March 13, and the theme this year is: 'Sit down for breakfast, stand up for farmers!'

The town hall welcomed over 200 local school children for the celebration event which included a musical performance by Sherington primary pupils.

They sampled Fairtrade treats with the Mayor Cllr Norman Adams, the council's deputy leader Cllr John Fahy and Jonathan Smith from the Fairtrade Foundation.

Chocolatier Philippe Wall spoke about the

history of the cocoa bean and displayed his special chocolates with a gold coating carved into the shapes of violins and elephants. And everyone was keen to get in the saddle of a smoothie bicycle which mixes and crushes fruit as you pedal.

Local branches of supermarket chains including Tesco, Sainsbury's, Waitrose, Marks & Spencer and Morrisons all got involved and shared some Fairtrade goods.

Jonathan Smith, from the Fairtrade Foundation said: "Buying Fairtrade products ensures farmers and workers can earn a fair price, invest in their communities and businesses and are

empowered to build a better future. Every Fairtrade breakfast shared across the Fortnight will help put food on the farmers' tables."

Cllr John Fahy added: "We have been supporting Fairtrade since 2006 and continue to build this relationship as we look to do the best we can to support the farmers who provide for us. I encourage local people to look out for businesses that sell Fairtrade products."

Fairtrade fortnight continues with a range of events taking place in libraries across the borough.

● **For full details visit**
www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/fairtradeevents

Ensure you are registered to vote

IT only takes five minutes to register to vote and residents are urged to get their names on the electoral register in time for two major votes this year.

The first is the London Mayor and London Assembly election on Thursday May 5 and the second is the the EU referendum, on Thursday 23 June.

People must be registered in order to vote. People who have moved home in the last 12 months or who have not previously registered to vote at their current address need to make sure they are on the electoral register.

The London Mayor and London Assembly

election is open to UK, Commonwealth and EU citizens living in the capital. The EU referendum is open to UK, Irish and Commonwealth citizens.

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Those who do not have access to the internet can call 020 8921 5184 to request a form to be sent by post.
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School opens a Saturday café club

CHARLTON Manor Primary School, whose pupils learn skills from beekeeping to caring for chickens, has set up a Saturday café club.

It gives parents the chance to drop off their children for a few hours leaving them to play and enjoy a healthy lunch, while the parents can go shopping or tackle their weekend tasks. The club is run by Blessing Mayomi, who runs the school's crèche and after-school club. The café is open from 10am-2pm and the drop-off is from 10.30am at a cost of £8, including a meal.

"We're giving the children activities while

they are here and will also provide a cheap healthy lunch," said headteacher Tim Baker.



Café Society: parents and children make the most of the Saturday café club

Well connected

Have your say on the borough's internet connectivity

RESIDENTS and local businesses are being asked to share their views on internet services and online connectivity across the royal borough.

The consultation is part of a review into the demand for ultra-fast broadband, as well as the future plans of the main telecommunications providers in the borough. Subject to the outcome of the consultation, the borough would need to identify how improvements can be funded.

Delivering better internet connectivity is a part of the council's Smart City Strategy – which aims to utilise 'smarter' technologies to improve services for residents, strengthen the economy, and bring new investment to the borough.

The consultation runs until April 23 and is seeking views of residents and local businesses on internet connectivity in Royal Greenwich, as well as their priorities, and their requirements for the future when it comes to online services. As part of the plans, the council is also inviting leading and prospective telecommunication firms to set out their investment plans for the borough.

Cllr Sizwe James, the council's cabinet

member for business, employment and skills said: "Fast, reliable broadband can play a huge role in helping the council deliver its commitment to improving services and developing the local economy as part of its Smart City Strategy.

"There are a variety of ways that faster broadband can be achieved in the royal borough. Alongside working with providers, we are also asking residents to share their views, needs and experience in order to make the best decision to boost

the borough's digital infrastructure in the future."

● **To take part in the consultation, please complete the online survey at www.digitalgreenwich.com/survey-on-internet-experience-in-greenwich or send comments to Digital Greenwich (Broadband Survey), 10th Floor, 6 Mitre Passage, SE10 0ER. Residents with any further questions can also email internetsurvey@digitalgreenwich.com**



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A turn-up for the books

PUPILS and staff at Linton Mead Primary School dressed up as their favourite book characters for World Book Day last Thursday (March 3).

Deputy head teacher Lucy Timmons, in full costume as 'Matilda', started the day with story telling in the school hall at the morning assembly, and teachers lead reading sessions in their classrooms throughout the day.

On Friday, children's author Lou Kuenzler visited the school to talk about her work and give tips on creative writing.

Poetry was the theme of the week at James Wolfe Primary School in Greenwich.

The school held an international evening on Wednesday with poetry readings, and food prepared by parents and carers based on recipes from around the world.

On Friday, pupils and staff at the school's two sites went to lessons dressed as their best book characters.

Borough libraries welcomed the youngest lenders to a series of Book Week events which included a Onesies dance and rhyme in Woolwich library and a visit by children's author and illustrator Rosie Webb to Woolwich and Greenwich Centre libraries.

● For information about Greenwich library events visit www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/libraries



DRESSED TO IMPRESS: staff and pupils come as their favourite book characters, left, school head Sarah Critchell with pupils Scarlett and Fikayo as the Cat in the Hat and an 'Oompah loompah'



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M&S is on the way back

MARKS & Spencer is coming back to Woolwich, and will be based near the new Crossrail station.

The store plans to open a food hall on the Royal Arsenal Riverside development. It means a return to the town by the company, which closed its old town centre store 18 months ago.

Council leader Denise Hyland said: "We shared the disappointment of local residents when Marks & Spencer departed Woolwich town centre, and we have kept

in close contact with the company since then. After considerable effort by the council, news that they are to return so soon is a clear sign that they recognise that Woolwich is growing and developing - with the Crossrail link acting as a key driving force in that growth.

"The council campaigned hard for Crossrail because of the economic benefits that it would bring, with new businesses attracted and new jobs created for local residents. To welcome Marks & Spencer to the Crossrail station

development underlines the positive impact that Crossrail is having for the local area - even before the link opens."

Crossrail is due to be operational in two years time and the completed Arsenal development will see 5,000 new homes plus restaurants, bars, shops and leisure facilities including a gym, new pubs, restaurants and a four-acre public park. Historic conversions and contemporary new homes will be set between parks, wide avenues, public squares and the River Thames.

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TASTY EAT: Cllr David Gardner tucks into a healthy meal served by Elizabeth Cooper at Pistachio's; inset, Elizabeth and Pistachio's manager Yoav Matari show off their healthy catering certificate

FOOD outlets are serving up healthier food as the council continues its efforts to improve the wellbeing of local people.

With more than half the capital's adult population an unhealthy weight, it's one of the council's top priorities and it's working with local eateries to tackle the problem.

So far 18 businesses have promised to make their food more healthy and

wholesome, and have signed up to the Healthier Catering Commitment - a voluntary scheme run by the London Mayor to encourage food outlets to improve their meals.

For example, one portion of chips can contain 69 grams of fat, which is almost the total fat intake recommended for adults per day. But there isn't a chip in sight at Pistachio's in East Greenwich Pleasance, one of the cafés to have made the commitment and is dedicated

Diners' delight

to serving healthier food.

Franchise owner Elizabeth Cooper serves a super-healthy menu with no "fizzy drinks", no fried food and lots of fresh vegetables.

"I didn't really have to make many changes as our food was already quite healthy," she told Greenwich Time.

"I have brought in more healthy things for children instead of cakes, and I don't have salt on the tables - people have to ask for it if they want it."

There are still plenty of treats for youngsters such as fruit rolls and healthy snacks, as well as handmade ice cream from a farm.

Elizabeth loves fresh ingredients such as spinach and uses it a lot in her cooking, and also serves plenty of salads, fruit and fresh smoothies.

"We like to keep the food light and people can ask for smaller portions if they prefer," she said.

The owners of First Choice in Hare

Street, Woolwich, have also signed up to the commitment and now serve food with less fat and smaller portions while there are more healthy drinks in the fridge.

"We have taken salt off some of the tables, said Nedi Altun, adding that he was pleased to be selling a wide choice of healthy food.

Also signed up for the scheme is the Valley café in Charlton. Owner Mehmet Manyera said: "We are working with the Healthier Catering Commitment and are applying it to the way we prepare and cook our food. The café is really busy and doing well and we are delighted."

Cllr David Gardner, cabinet member for health, social care and public health, said: "These businesses set an example to other cafés and takeaways in the borough.

"We are determined to play a leading role in helping to reduce obesity by encouraging residents to eat healthier and be more active and this is just one of many initiatives aimed at improving residents' health and eating habits."

● For details about healthy food schemes in the borough, visit www.gcda.coop

● A Greenwich team that promotes good food was presented with the Good Food for London certificate at a meeting of the council last month.

The award - for a most improved borough - recognises the achievements led by the council's environmental health and public health services, in partnership with Greenwich Co-operative Development Agency and catering contractors GS plus, in areas such as supporting food growing in the community, becoming an accredited Living Wage employer, and serving healthy and sustainable food in schools.



Early bird discounts for Get Together stall applications

BUSINESSES, charities and organisations can now sign up to be part of the royal borough's annual Great Get Together and Armed Forces Day event on June 25.

The council is accepting applications from both commercial and non-commercial stalls, and with early-bird rates now available it's a great time to sign up and be part of the hugely popular summer community celebration.

The day is the UK's largest Armed Forces Day and attracted upwards of 25,000 visitors last year. Entry is free, and many of the attractions are also free.

The deadline for commercial stall applications is Tuesday May 31. To qualify for an early-bird discount on pitch charges, please apply before Friday April 1.

Non-commercial stalls are for non-profit-making organisations such as charities and will be set up in a shared marquee. The deadline for non-commercial stall applications is Friday June 10. To qualify for an early-bird discount on pitch charges, please apply before Friday April 8.

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WIDENING THEIR HORIZONS: young people take part in outdoor activities with the charity

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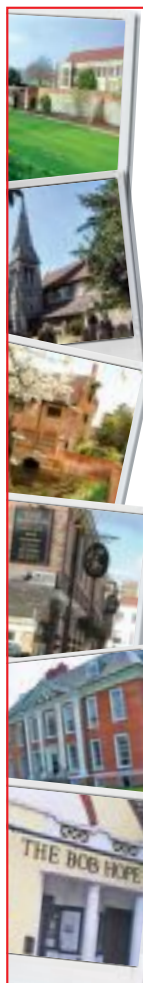
The Eltham-based Wide Horizons charity is offering a free five-day Adventure Learning residential in May when students will have the chance to try outdoor activities such as canoeing, rock climbing and gorge walking.

All they have to do to win is produce a one-minute video showing what they would hope to achieve during the week and what impact such an adventure would have on themselves and their school.

Alex Brooks-Johnson, chief executive of Wide Horizons, said: "This is a great opportunity for schools who might not usually be able to afford a week away, or who have not previously considered incorporating Adventure Learning into their curriculum."

"We believe every child should have access to adventure as part of their education and development, and we hope that this competition will enable some pupils who couldn't otherwise afford it to experience the benefits of Adventure Learning."

● **The closing date is Friday, March 18 – to take part go to www.widehorizons.org.uk/sharingadventures**



Time to be a local tourist

FREE guided tours and half price entry to Eltham Palace are on offer to residents who want to explore the delights on their doorsteps this weekend.

It's all part of Be a Local Tourist Day on Sunday, March 13 when Eltham Town Centre will host of activities and historical adventures, giving residents a chance to find out more about their local area, and enjoy a fun day out.

Events include :

- a guided walk of the Eltham town centre, start at 10.30 am from the main gate at Eltham Palace.
- free guided tour of Blackheath Golf Club, at 10am, 10.30am and 11am
- half price entrance to the historic Eltham Palace (subject to proof of residence) from 10am-4pm, last admission at 3pm.
- an open house at the Bob Hope Theatre, 11.30am-3.30pm
- a tour of the Tarn, starts 2pm from the Post Office in Eltham
- open house at St John's Church from 11.15am to 2pm
- open day at Eltham Fire Station 11am – 13.00pm

Eltham Town Centre is known for its bustling and friendly hub of shops and places to eat and drink. Attractions include Eltham Palace where Henry VIII spent much of his childhood, the beautiful landscape garden and Bird Sanctuary of The Tarn, the 16th century splendour of the Tudor Barn, The Eltham Lodge - a classic mansion built in 1664, and the famous Bob Hope Theatre.

Councillor Denise Scott-McDonald, the council's member for culture and creative industries, said: "Be a local tourist day offers a chance for residents to visit some of the fantastic attractions which are right here on our doorstep and to enjoy the history and heritage of our borough. There will be a wealth of activities for all the family to get involved in that are either free or offered at reduced rates."

● **For further information on exploring Greenwich, see www.visitgreenwich.org.uk**
Contact the Tourist Information Centre on 0870 608 2000 or email tic@greenwich.gov.uk
This year, 'Be a Local Tourist day' coincides with 'English Tourism Week'. Find out more at www.visitengland.org

Appeal for Make Merry performers

PLUMSTEAD'S annual festival of music and arts is back for another year – and performers are invited to put themselves forward to take part.

Plumstead Make Merry began in 1975 and every year more people want to get involved. Organisers are looking for family friendly acts of between five and 15 minutes for the Bandstand stage and the Acoustic Café. Sarah Harper, chair and events co-ordinator, said: "We're really excited to bring the festival back for another year and would like to thank all of our supporters. We can't wait to see who will be part of the Make Merry in 2016."

"Whether you're a musician, a dancer, a storyteller or even if you have another performance idea, we want to hear from you!" The deadline for the first round of applications is Friday, March 11 and this year the organisers are adopting a new 'two-year rule'.

This means performers in 2016 will not be considered for the following year but will be able to apply to perform in 2018.

"Every year, we receive an increasing number of applications from people keen to perform at the Make Merry. We're hoping this new process will make it as fair as possible for everybody and also enable us to have a variety of different acts performing at the festival," Sarah said.

● **For more details on the festival and how to apply to perform go to www.plumsteadmakemerry.co.uk**



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The rest is his-story

Blue plaque tribute for Woolwich champion



BLUE TRIBUTE: members of Woolwich & District Antiquarian Society outside the house, inset, a close up of the plaque and a portrait of the man himself

AN art teacher and enthusiastic antiquarian has been honoured with a blue plaque on the house where he lived for much of his life.

Frank Charles Elliston-Erwood was born in Woolwich in 1883, the son of a world champion rackets player who also made rackets for cadets at the town's Royal Military Academy.

Both Mr Erwood senior and his wife were keen members of the Woolwich and District Antiquarian Society (WADAS) in its early days, an enthusiasm they passed on to their son.

Frank first went to a meeting of the group when he was 15 and remained a

member for 63 years, serving as president, honorary secretary and honorary editor. He also became a Fellow of the Society of Antiquaries (FSA).

Skilled at architectural drawing, Frank trained as an art teacher and taught at the former Woolwich Central School, which later became Bloomfield Road School.

He took part in many archaeological digs, including at Lesnes Abbey where he made detailed drawings.

A lifelong friend and fellow antiquarian, LRA Grove, described Frank as "the leading Kent antiquary of his time."

He wrote of him: "Few of those who met Elliston-Erwood will forget him. His countenance could be merry and

rubicund when all was going well... but it took on the fierceness of a Chinese Guardian when fools stepped in."

Frank died aged 85 in November 1968 and was cremated at Falconwood Crematorium.

The plaque in his memory has been erected by the WADAS on Frank's home of 56 years in Foxcroft Road and the society thanked the current owners Stuart and Ann Crane for giving their permission.

It is the second plaque organised by the society – the first was five years ago in memory of military drawing master William Ramwell, which can be found in Beresford Terrace, Woolwich.

● **The Woolwich & District Antiquarian Society** was founded in 1895 and is now a group of around 100 members interested in the history of Woolwich and the surrounding areas.

Talks on a wide variety of historical subjects are held each month in autumn and winter on Saturday afternoons at Charlton House. Contact Jim Marrett at jimmarrett774@btinternet.com

In the spring and summer they arrange visits to places of historical interest.

● **New members are always welcome – call the secretary Andrew Bullivant on 020 8854 2137 for more information.**

School looks to its past – and future

PAST and present students and staff from Invicta Primary School in Invicta Road, Blackheath, are being invited back for a walk down memory lane on Saturday, March 19.

The school, which dates back to Victorian times, has been undergoing a major rebuild, with the post-war 1950s buildings demolished. The rebuild is part of a multi million pound investment to improve school facilities across the royal borough.

The event, between noon and 4pm, will give visitors the opportunity to tour the new buildings and visit the mini-Invicta museum. Local people will also be welcome.

There will be other attractions, such as a bouncy castle, games, face-painting, a barbecue and a tea and cakes stall. There will also be live entertainment and timed tours.

To advertise in GT call Gaynor on 020 8921 5033

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Signing clipper tour

TOURS of the Cutty Sark are being held using British Sign Language on Saturday, March 12 with deaf historian John Wilson.

Learn about the history of the famous tea clipper and explore her decks on the tours that start at 11am and 1.30pm as part of Disabled Access Day.

The tours are designed for ages 11-plus, and guide dogs, hearing dogs and

assistance dogs will all be welcome. For safety reasons there is only room for three wheelchairs at a time.

● **Tickets cost £17.50, £13.50 for concessions and visitors with hearing impairments, and free admission for carers. For more information visit www.rmg.co.uk/cutty-sark**



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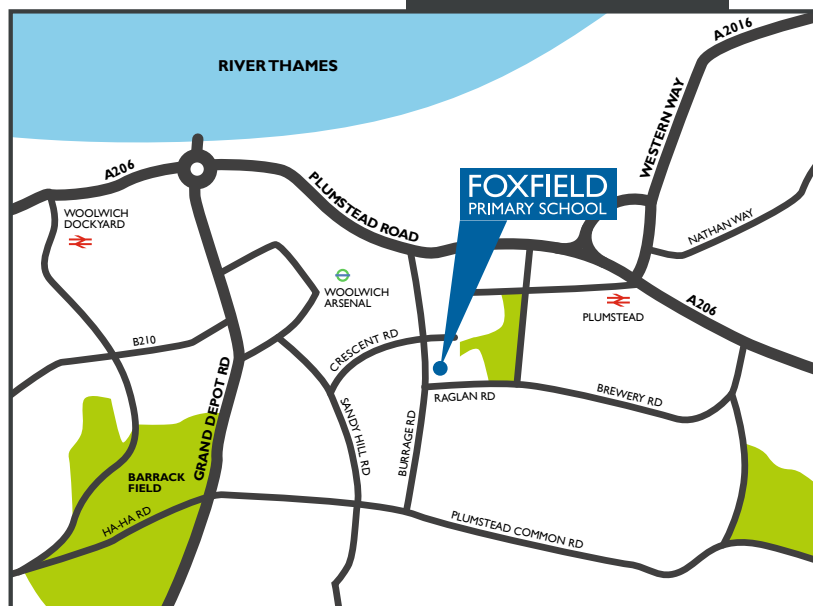
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Switch and save

by Simon Banks

SAVE big and switch, says the Royal Borough of Greenwich which is backing a London-wide scheme to help residents get a better deal on their gas and electricity bills.

The Big London Energy Switch is a collective switching scheme, backed by 17 London boroughs. It encourages residents to sign up to a collective giving them greater bargaining power with energy companies who are more likely to offer their lowest prices for energy.

Residents still have time to sign up to the switch, with the next round of registration set to close on October 12. Once registration is closed all the energy companies are invited to offer their best prices to everyone who registered.

Residents will receive details of exactly how much money they could potentially save with an option to accept or decline the switch.

The 'Big London Energy Switch' has been championed by Royal Greenwich, which has seen one of the largest number

of sign ups of all London boroughs, with over 4400 residents having already registered.

Latest figures for Greenwich show householders made an average annual saving of £254.

Cllr Danny Thorpe, the royal borough's cabinet member for regeneration and transport, said: "We've always backed such a great way to help our residents save money on their household bills.

Encouraging sign ups is an important part of our anti-poverty work - household bills and fuel prices in particular are placing real pressures on most households so we will do whatever we can to help people save money.

"We're also reminding residents they can also make changes to their home and their lifestyles to save energy and lower their bills - call the royal borough's energy helpline if you want some advice."

Find out more about the Big London Energy Switch at www.biglondonenergyswitch.org.uk or call the royal borough's energy helpline on 020 8921 5100 or visit www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/energyefficiency

WINTER is around the corner and residents are being urged to keep safe as well as warm by making sure their gas boilers are safe and reliable.

Don't miss out on gas safety check



VITAL CHECK: get a boiler inspection by a Gas Safe registered engineer

The council's gas safety team has worked tirelessly visiting a total of 22,000 properties in order to ensure residents have safe and reliable gas boilers in their homes.

Over 70% of residents had equipment serviced during the last six months, although due to the high demand of the service and some tenants not being present at home when the service called, some missed out. The council is appealing for any council tenants who missed out to contact the gas delivery team in order to schedule or re-book a free gas boiler service. Residents can also inquire about having a free CO detector installed in their home too.

The campaign was the fifth annual Gas Safety Week and helped raise awareness of the dangers of poorly maintained gas appliances, which cause gas leaks, fires, explosions and carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning. In the last year, at least 68,000 homes in the UK escaped deadly gas incidents by engineers switching off dangerous appliances. Nearly one in two of these incidents were caused because a gas appliance had not been regularly serviced and had been left in a poor state.

By law, only Gas Safe registered engineers can work on gas appliances. Twenty deaths and 1,000 gas-related injuries have been caused in the last three years and an estimated quarter of a million illegal gas jobs carried out every year.

Contact the gas delivery team to schedule or re-book a free boiler service on 0800 317 715

POWER TO THE PEOPLE: GT stories tell readers about the services available to help them save energy and money

GREENWICH Council is committed to tackling fuel poverty and promoting energy efficiency and while many might think they have to switch off to save money, you do not have to choose between heating and eating.

There are many steps you can take to keep energy bills down while staying warm at the same time.

Simple things like turning the TV and other appliances off standby mode and using a washing up bowl instead of a running tap can all save pounds on your bills each year.

Spending less time in the shower helps - one minute less can save £10 each year - as does fitting draught-proofing round draughty doors and windows, or installing a room thermostat.

Greenwich Council leader Cllr Denise Hyland said: "It's important that we all do what ever we can to

save energy but at the same time making sure everyone can stay warm and secure.

"The council is committed to tackling fuel poverty and energy efficiency and offers support to residents wherever we can."

Residents are encouraged to sign up for the Big London Energy Switch to reduce their fuel bills.

More than 6,000 people have joined the scheme since it started in the borough in 2013, enabling them to get a better deal on their gas and electricity bills.

The scheme is a collective switching scheme run by Greenwich and a number of other London councils. The larger the number of people who sign up, the more the energy companies can be encouraged to lower their prices.

Households which signed up in last October's round of the switch saved an average of £290 on their annual bills.

The next switch will take place in the spring - for more information call the council on 020 8921 5100 or visit biglondonenergyswitch.ichooor.com

Improving the energy and thermal efficiency of homes is another important part of the council's policy to reduce fuel poverty.

Since 2013, the authority has set aside funding to deliver energy efficiency improvement programmes in both council-owned blocks and street properties over five years.

Just last month, visitors to the Warm Homes event on the Barnfield estate in Plumstead had the chance to see the improvements made in a £13 million refurbishment that has transformed the post-war buildings into warm, dry and decent homes.

● **The council runs a helpline offering advice and referrals to energy efficiency improvement programmes - call 020 8921 5331 or email energy-efficiency@royalgreenwich.gov.uk**

Save you

MILLIONS of people around and switching off their lights. Here Greenwich Time offer all year round - and help p

SOLAR SO GOOD: Mulgrave pupils campaign for investors to back their



LEARNING about renewable energy and sustainability is all part of a day's lessons at Mulgrave Primary School in Woolwich where solar panels have been installed to keep fuels costs down.

The school advantage of East London and together investors to The school

THE approaching spring months are a good time to get your home ready for next winter and carry out those energy saving improvements.

The royal borough runs a Handyperson scheme that helps older people and those with disabilities with small jobs around the house that could save you money on your fuel bills.

For example, they can check central heating programmes, bleed radiators and hang curtains, all of which help save energy.

For more information email handyperson@royalgreenwich.gov.uk or call 020 8921 2614.

The Stay Warm, Stay Safe scheme team carry out energy efficiency assessments and give advice and help on keeping fuel bills down - call the free phone number 0800 470 4831.

Some homeowners who receive benefits or who are on a low income may be eligible for grants from the council's home improvement programme for essential repairs or improvements.

They must be aged 60 or more or have a disability or long-term illness to apply - email home-improvement@royalgreenwich.gov.uk or call 020 8921 2614.

Private sector tenants can also call the environmental health team if they have a problem with excess cold, damp and mould. They can intervene in serious cases and get issued resolved through enforcement procedures.

● **Email residentialservices@royalgreenwich.gov.uk or call 020 8921 8157.**



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and the world will be taking part in Earth Hour on March 19
nts for just one hour to show they care about the planet.
rs some energy saving tips that can save residents money
protect the future of our world.



For solar panels scheme, right, panels are inspected



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generated by the solar power at
a reduced price, with any surplus
being fed back into the national
grid. This in turn provides income
which is used as a return for the
investors.

As well as reducing electricity bills,
the panels also help cut the school's
carbon footprint.

● For more details about the
scheme visit www.selce.org.uk



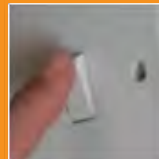
Top tips from the Energy Saving Trust

THE Energy Saving Trust gives impartial advice to help people reduce energy consumption and encourage them to lead more sustainable and low carbon lifestyles.

The UK is committed to achieving an 80 per cent reduction in carbon emissions by 2050 and the trust offers tips to help everyone play their part – and save money at the same time.

They include:

- switch off standby – you can save an estimated £30 a year by making sure you don't leave appliances turned on at the plug
- be careful in the kitchen – only fill the kettle with the water that you need (saving around £7/year) and cut back on your washing machine use by one cycle per week (saving £5/year on energy and £8 on metered water bills)
- spend less time in the shower – one minute less each day will save £30 on energy bills each year and £15 on metered water bills
- draught excluders – prevent heat loss around doors and windows by DIY draught-proofing (saving £25-£35/year)
- control your heating – fitting a room thermostat, programmer and thermostatic radiator valve would save £80 to £165 a year, and turning down the radiator thermostat by just one degree could save £85-£90/year
- turn off the lights – switching your lights off when you're not using them will save around £15/year
- insulation – making sure your home is well insulated will reduce unnecessary heat loss and reduce energy bills.



Stay in the dark for Earth Hour

THE Plumstead Pantry in Warwick Terrace will be holding a raw food night on Earth Hour night – but dining in the dark all evening, not just for an hour.

Owners Ashley and Julia Jones, pictured right, will be turning everything off, apart from the heating and the coffee machines, from 4-9.30pm and preparing meals made from uncooked foods such as ferments and tartar dishes.

Ashley said: "I think Earth Hour is a really good cause. Our ethos is about sustainability and ethical processes, using locally sourced food, so it just suits what we do."

A proportion of the evening's proceeds will go to the Plumstead environmental group.

● THE Old Royal Naval College in Greenwich will be joining other London landmarks and switching the lights off for Earth Hour.

Lights will go out in the Painted Hall and the Chapel of St Peter and St Paul from 8.30-9.30pm.



Technology is developing all the time to help households become more energy efficient.

Smart heating controls are now available so you can control your heating when you're not at home via a mobile app and replacing traditional light bulbs with new LED (light emitting diode) spotlights, while still relatively expensive to buy, will save you money in the long run.

The Energy Saving Trust also suggests homeowners consider the benefits of renewable energy technology such as solar panels.

● For more tips and information visit the trust's website at www.energysavingtrust.org.uk



Author Adam's fifth novel

GREENWICH author Adam Baron (pictured) has just published his fifth novel. 'Blackheath' is a darkly comic account of modern parenthood, revealing the awful truth at the heart of

modern family life – 'love is not enough'. Adam Baron is the author of five novels, and

several have been dramatized on BBC Radio 4. He has worked as an actor, journalist, comedy writer and performer and is currently MA Course Director in Creative Writing at Kingston University. He lives in Greenwich with his wife and three young children.

'Blackheath' is published by Myriad Editions, and costs £8.99.

Step out for St Patrick's Day



TAKE YOUR PARTNERS: last year's ceilidh at the Borough Hall

GET St Patrick's Day celebrations off to an early start with Greenwich Dance's ceilidh at Borough Hall on Saturday, March 12.

With live music from Threepenny Bit, and an expert caller to help you with the steps, there'll be no excuse to stay off the dance floor in the 1930s art deco hall.

Everyone is welcome, from beginners to more seasoned Irish dancers, whether you're on your own or with the whole family.

Doors open at 7.30pm and tickets cost £10, £7.50 concessions – call 020 8293 9741 (booking required).

● St Patrick's Day is on March 17 and the revelry continues on Saturday, March 19 on board the Cutty Sark on the riverfront at Greenwich.

An evening of dancing and folk music awaits as well as a free shot of whiskey and the chance to explore the former tea clipper.

Tickets cost £25, £20 for students and the fun starts at 7pm – over-18s only. Visit www.rmg.co.uk/cuttysark for details.

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THE life of legendary boxer and civil rights campaigner Muhammad Ali is the subject of a new exhibition in Greenwich.

Echoing his own catchphrase, I Am The Greatest: Muhammad Ali at The O2 combines sporting memorabilia with exhibits telling Ali's extraordinary story from his upbringing in Kentucky to his current battle with Parkinson's disease.

Along the way, milestones included refusing to fight in the Vietnam war and the ban on professional boxing that ensued, his conversion to Islam and changing his "slave name" Cassius Clay to Muhammad Ali, and his decades of humanitarian and civil rights work.

At the heart of his early life was the boxing ring where he won the heavyweight champion of the world title three times, dubbing himself The Greatest.

There were famous fights such as Rumble in the Jungle, when he beat George Foreman in Zaire, and the so-called Thrilla in Manila, an epic against Joe Frazier that went to the 14th round before Ali won in a technical knock-out.

The exhibition gives a flavour of the gym, Ali's pre-fight rituals and the excitement that mounts in the pre-match hours. Personal artefacts include his Two-Time and Three-Time World Champion rings from 1974 and 1978 respectively, protective headgear he wore in 1980 which is inscribed to the Rocky actor Sylvester Stallone, as well as boxing shorts, gloves and

WINGFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL MOOREHEAD WAY, KIDBROOKE, SE3 9XU

Headteacher

Dates: Apply by 18th March 2016 to start in September 2016

Salary: L18 – L24

Location: Greenwich

Contract type: Full Time

Contract term: Permanent

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- has significant and sustained experience in the implementation of strategies to raise achievement;
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- has a commitment to teamwork and working in partnership with parents/carers and the wider community.

We can offer:

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Closing date for applications 5pm on Friday 18th March 2016
Interviews: week commencing 21st March 2016

Please contact Sophie Powell, Executive Headteacher of The South Rise and Wingfield Partnership of Schools on exchead@southrise-greenwich.sch.uk if you would like to talk about the position.

Arrangements to visit the school and requests for an application pack can be made via Ann Graham on saol@wingfield.greenwich.sch.uk

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Details of more events at
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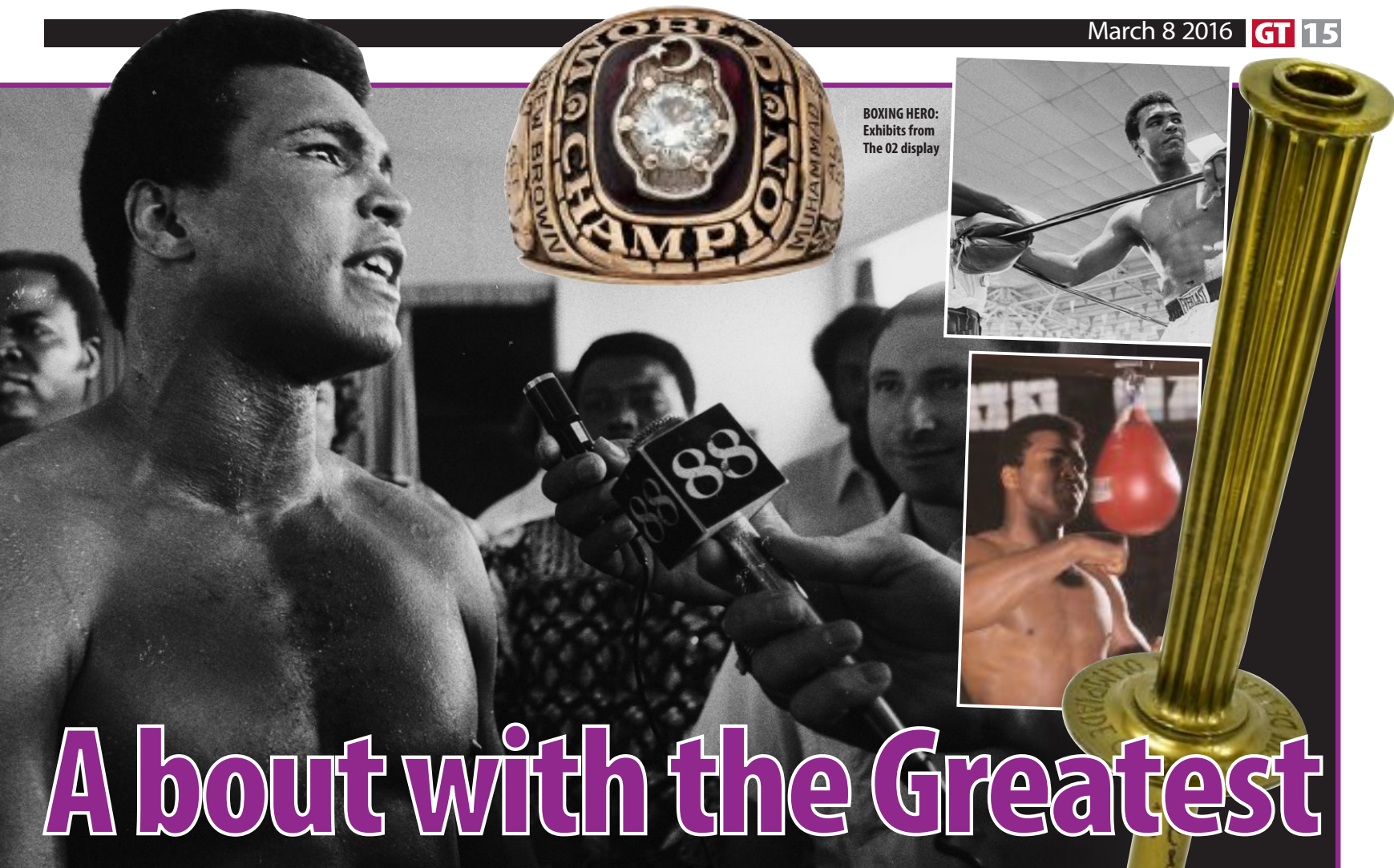
Pond dipping, garden pond workshops and other free activities on Frog Day at Greenwich Ecology Park off John Harrison Way on Sunday, March 20, 11am-3pm. The Friends of the park will also be holding a barbeque, gift and secondhand book stalls, and a raffle. More details at www.greenwichecologypark.com or call 020 8293 1904.

BLACKHEATH

Irish singer Cara Dillon performs at Blackheath Halls, Lee Road on Saturday, March 12 from 8pm. Tickets cost £21, £19 concs. Book tickets at www.trinitylaban.ac.uk or call 020 8463 0100.

WOOLWICH

Women who Empowered the World, event for International Women's Day with speakers, video and light refreshments. Tuesday March 8, 6-8.30pm, Greenwich Inclusion Project, 2nd floor Royal Sovereign House, Beresford Street. Call 020 3747 9862 or email Ruth.gabrielle@griepproject.org.uk



BOXING HERO:
Exhibits from
The 02 display

A bout with the Greatest

gowns worn at different fights.

The door frame from his childhood home in Louisville which he touched every time he left the house has been brought over and a full-size boxing ring takes pride of place at the front of the exhibition.

The boxer's wife, Lonnie, said: "Muhammad and I are very excited to be

part of a project that will join Muhammad with a whole new generation of fans."

Ali's life outside the ring and the many humanitarian causes he supported are shown through unseen footage and photographs, personal belongings and tributes from some of his closest friends. He also held considerable sway among influential leaders, meeting among

others Martin Luther King, Malcolm X, Nelson Mandela, former Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev and Saddam Hussein.

Davis Miller, co-curator of the exhibition said: "Nothing like this exhibition has been done before. The goal is for each and every visitor to come away feeling that they have spent serious time in the company of - and

sharing stories with - this singular and extraordinary man."

The exhibition is now open and runs until August 31 - tickets cost from £18, children £9 and concessions £15 (plus booking fees in all cases).

For tickets and information visit www.ariattheo2.com

WHAT'S ON

BLACKHEATH

A performance of Carlo's Café on Saturday, March 12 marks this year's International Women's Day. Produced by Global Fusion Music and Arts it in on at Mycenae House, 90 Mycenea Road from 8pm. Tickets cost £8 at www.wegotickets.com or £7 concs on the door. More details on 020 8858 9497 or visit www.globalfusionarts.co.uk

ELTHAM

Fame the Musical leaps on to the Bob Hope Theatre stage this Saturday (2.30pm & 7.30pm) and Sunday (1pm & 5pm), March 19 & 20, courtesy of In The Wings Productions. Tickets cost £13.50, £12 concs online at www.bobhopetheatre.co.uk or call the box office in Wythfield Road on 020 8850 3702.

GREENWICH

Lunchtime jazz at the Prince of Greenwich, 72 Royal Hill with Charles Morris Jazzmen, every Friday until March 25, 1-3.30pm. Free.

WOOLWICH

Last chance to catch the Greenwich Heritage Trust's collection of watercolours at exhibition A Sense of Place. Until Saturday, March 12 at Greenwich Heritage Centre, Artillery Square, Royal Arsenal. Entry free, open Tuesday to Saturday, 9am-5pm. More details at www.greenwichheritage.org

GREENWICH

Celebrate Women's History Month at the National Maritime Museum at Making Waves, activities looking at the role of women in the male-dominated field of exploration. Saturday & Sunday, March 19 & 20 - details at www.rmg.co.uk/WMW2016

BLACKHEATH

How the Koala Learnt to Hug, a new musical about the magic of family, at Blackheath Halls, Lee Road on Saturday, March 12 at 3pm. Suitable for ages 3-plus, tickets £7 from www.trinitylaban.ac.uk or call 020 8463 0100.



The Cobbe Portrait of William Shakespeare by an unknown artist, courtesy of the Shakespeare Birthplace Trust

AS the country celebrates the Bard's 400th anniversary this year, youngsters in the royal borough will have plenty of free activities to enjoy during Children's Shakespeare Week next week. Local libraries are organising fun things to do during the week, which runs from Monday to Sunday, March 14-20. Woolwich Centre Library will host workshops for ages seven to 14 on Monday evening, giving the opportunity to learn about 'Will the Bard' and enjoy a fun introduction to Shakespeare and his world. Free admission but booking essential - call 020 8921 5749 to reserve a place. Students from Rose Bruford College will perform selections from some of the most

popular Shakespearean plays at Greenwich Centre Library on Wednesday, March 16, as part of the Greenwich Lates programme. Times to be confirmed - call the library on 020 3795 0600.

All the borough's libraries will hold Rhyme Time sessions with CBeebies Shakespeare's Lullaby as well as other Bard-themed activities throughout the week.

For details visit www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk

● Primary school children can take a digital tour of Shakespeare's childhood home in Stratford-upon-Avon and take part in other Bard-themed activities on the Shakespeare Week website - visit www.shakespeareweek.org.uk

Help raise charity cash on the catwalk

FASHIONISTAS plan to strut their stuff on the catwalk to raise money for Greenwich Foster Carers Association this weekend.

The me&i fashion show features a collection of women's and children's clothing on Saturday March 12 from 1-4pm, at Greenwich Football & Rugby Club, The Pavilion, Old Mill Road, Plumstead.

There'll be home made cakes on sale, a prize raffle, 'Fete' games and a kid's colouring competition.

All ticket, refreshments and raffle ticket sale proceeds to go to GFCA.

For ticket details contact Siobhán Trethewey on siobhan.trethewey@meandi.eu

ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 –
SECTION 14(1)
TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE –
BARDSLEY LANE

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich has made an Order for a road closure to accommodate cable diversions, drainage and associated highway works in **Bardsley Lane**. The effect of the Order would be to temporarily:
 - (a) prohibit vehicles from entering, exiting, proceeding or waiting (including waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading) in **Bardsley Lane**;
 - (b) suspend the one-way traffic system on the entire length of **Bardsley Lane** so as to allow access to and from properties (as far as the extent of the works allow).
2. The above restrictions would only apply at such times and to such extent as shall be indicated by the placing of the appropriate traffic signs.
3. The Order has come into force on 22nd January 2016 and would continue in force for up to 18 months, or until the works have been completed, whichever is the sooner.
4. Whilst the prohibitions remain in force, vehicles would be diverted via the A100 Creek Road and Haddo Street and vice versa.
5. Queries concerning these works should be directed to the Royal Borough of Greenwich's Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise & Skills on 020 8921 4340.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation
The Woolwich Centre,
35 Wellington Street,
SE18 6HQ
Dated 2nd March 2016
(JOURNAL REF: 04/11/16/10)

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SECTION 14(1)
TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE –
Norman Road SE10

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich has made an Order for a road closure required to place a mobile crane on the highway to dismantle a power crane at the Dorian Site, 31-43 Norman Road, SE10 9DE (The effect of the Order would be to temporarily prohibit vehicles from entering, exiting, proceeding or waiting (including waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading) in **Norman Road** from 33 to 43).
2. The above restrictions would only apply and to such extent as shall be indicated by the placing of the appropriate traffic signs.
3. The Order would come into force on 23rd March 2016 and would continue to be in force for 18 months or until works are completed whichever is sooner, however the works are expected to be completed within 2 days.
4. Whilst the prohibitions remain in force, affected traffic would be diverted via Greenwich High Road, Greenwich Church Street, Creek Road and Norman Road and vice versa. Pedestrians will not be affected.
5. Queries concerning these works should be directed to the Royal Borough of Greenwich's Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise & Skills on 020 8921 4340.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation
The Woolwich Centre,
35 Wellington Street,
SE18 6HQ
Dated 2nd March 2016
(JOURNAL REF: 04/11/16/10)

ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH

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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 –
SECTION 14(1)
TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE –
WELLAND STREET SE10

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich intends to make an Order for a road closure to facilitate Mazonnade Traffic Solution to carry out crane operation in the carriage way in **Welland Street**. The effect of the Order would be to temporarily prohibit vehicles from entering and exiting, proceeding or waiting (including waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading) in **Welland Street** from junction of Creek Road to the junction of Cuvill Street.
2. The above restrictions would only apply to such extent as shall be indicated by placing of the appropriate traffic signs.
3. The Order will come into force on 27th March 2016 and would continue to be in force for up to 18 months, or until the works have been completed, whichever is the sooner, however the works are expected to be completed within one day.
4. The traffic will be diverted via Creek Road, Greenwich Church Street and Welland Street and vice versa. Whilst the prohibitions remain in force, pedestrians are not affected and vehicle access will be maintained wherever possible.
5. Queries concerning these works should be directed to the Royal Borough of Greenwich's Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise & Skills on 020 8921 4340.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation
The Woolwich Centre,
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ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH

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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 –
SECTION 16A
INVICTA PRIMARY SCHOOL
CELEBRATION EVENT
TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS –
SATURDAY 19th MARCH 2016

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich has made an Order to facilitate the staging of the Invicta Primary School Celebration Event "the event" on **Saturday 19th March 2016**. The effect of the Order will be to temporarily prohibit vehicles from entering, proceeding or waiting (including waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading) in **Invicta Road** between 10am and 4pm on Saturday 19th March 2016.
2. The above prohibitions and provisions will only apply at such times and to such extent as shall be indicated by the placing or covering, as the case may be, of appropriate traffic signs or as directed by a police constable in uniform.
3. The above prohibitions will not prevent essential vehicular access to premises only accessible via Invicta Road.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation
The Woolwich Centre,
35 Wellington Street,
SE18 6HQ
Dated 8th March 2016
(JOURNAL REF: 04/11/16/10)

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ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH
COUNCIL TAX

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN under Section 38(2) of the Local Government Finance Act, 1992 (hereinafter called 'The Act') that at a meeting on **Wednesday 24 February 2016** the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich made the requisite calculations in accordance with Sections 31A, 31B and 34 to 36 of the Act and then resolved in accordance with Section 38 of The Act to set the amounts of Council Tax shown at paragraphs below in proportions mentioned in Section 36(1) of The Act for each category of chargeable dwelling in its area or part of its area for the financial year commencing on **1 April 2016**.

In all parts of its area, other than that surrounding the Gloucester Circus Garden Square, Greenwich SE10 (comprising Gloucester Circus, Swanee House and numbers 25-54 inclusive Maribor, Barney Street), to which no special item of expense relates, the Council resolved to set the following amounts of Council Tax:

Valuation Bands	Amounts of Council Tax set for Dwellings situated in all other parts of the Royal Borough of Greenwich £ p
A	864.03
B	1,068.04
C	1,152.04
D	1,296.05
E	1,584.06
F	1,872.08
G	2,160.08
H	2,592.10

In part of its area surrounding the Gloucester Circus Garden Square, Greenwich SE10 (comprising Gloucester Circus, Swanee House and numbers 25-54 inclusive Maribor, Barney Street) to which a special item of expense referred to in Sections 34 and 35 of The Act relates, the Council resolved to set the following amounts of Council Tax:

Valuation Bands	Amounts of Council Tax set for Dwellings in the area surrounding Gloucester Circus Garden Square £ p
A	943.24
B	1,089.96
C	1,245.66
D	1,401.37
E	1,712.78
F	2,024.21
G	2,335.61
H	2,802.74

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE
LICENSING ACT 2003

Notice is given that **THANGARAJAH THAYALAN** has applied for the **GRANT** of a Premises Licence for the following premises:

PLUM LOCAL EXPRESS
109 PLUMSTEAD HIGH STREET
LONDON
SE18 1SE

A record of the application may be inspected by appointment.

Interested parties may make representations to the Royal Borough of Greenwich on this application by no later than **24TH MARCH 2016**. Representations can be made in writing, by email or fax to The Licensing Team, Community Safety & Environment, 4th floor, Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, London SE18 6HQ. Tel: 020 8921 8018, Fax: 020 8921 8180, Email: licensing@royalgreenwich.gov.uk. Representations can only be made on the grounds of one of the four licensing objectives, namely:

- Protection of children from harm
- Prevention of Public nuisance
- Prevention of crime and disorder
- Public safety

Any person who makes a false statement in connection with an application is liable on summary conviction to a maximum fine of £5,000.

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Closing dates:
Friday 18th March 2016
Interview dates:
Week commencing
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People on the Housing register are able to bid for all properties, regardless of their banding. You must be eligible for the size of property and bids will be considered in the following order:

First Band A, followed by Band BI/B2 both in priority date order. Those in Band C will then be considered in registration date order.

Please note that there will still be some properties with age restrictions so only people of this age group can apply for these.

- A** is for applicants in unsatisfactory housing, including people moving due to demolition and those underoccupying their homes.
- BI** is for applicants the Royal Borough of Greenwich must prioritise according to the law, particularly
- or**
- B2** homeless people, and others with an urgent need to move for medical or welfare reasons.
- C** is for all applicants on the housing register, including those that are in priority bands A and BI/B2.

How do I apply?

1

Get on the list

First, you've got to be on the housing waiting list to join the scheme. If you're not, register an application on line at www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk

2

Find your applicant number

It will be on the letter you've already had from the Royal Borough of Greenwich about the new scheme. You'll need that number and the reference number of the property you're after, which will be on the advert.

3

Pick out your ideal property

by looking in *Greenwich Time* or regularly checking the website:

www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes

Click on your preference on the website. If you don't have a computer, you can always use one for free at either The Eltham or Woolwich Centre or a local library.

4

Apply in one of three ways

- Text bidding is now available and the number to use is 07786207913. For further information please see page 2, or
- Phone the 24-hour hotline 020 8921 4340. It's an automatic push-button system and calls will be charged at the normal local rate, or
- Via the Royal Borough of Greenwich's website www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes

The next edition of GreenwichHomes will be available on **Wednesday 16 March 2016 at midday**. Closing date for all applications for this issue is midnight on **Sunday 13 March 2016**.

24-hour hotline

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Information Only

Parlour Houses

3 bed Parlour is counted as a 4 bedroomed

4 Bed Parlour is counted as a 5 bedroomed



L&Q Housing Trust

Ref Number: 66937
Brittain Ct
Shrubsall Ct SE9
1 Bed 1st Flr Flat
Unlifted Rad C/H No
Pets No Pkg
£107.44 pw

If you are bidding for houses under Band C you must have at least 1 child under 16 years



Moat Housing Group

Ref Number: 79360
Metcalfe Ct SE10
John Harrison Way
2 Bed 1st Flr Flat
Unlifted Rad C/H
No Pets No Pkg
£155.00 pw



Hyde Housing Association

Ref Number: 135195
Elmdene Rd SE18
2 Bed 1st Flr Flat Gdn
Unlifted Gas Fire Only
No Pets No Pkg
£104.21 pw



Ref Number: 208588
Lampport Close SE18
1 Bed 3rd Flr Flat
Unlifted Entry phn
Rad C/H No Pkg
£89.43 pw



Ref Number: 210000
Polthorne Gr SE18
1 Bed 1st Flr Flat
Unlifted Rad C/H
No Pkg
£100.93 pw incl Htg
£14.94 pw

A number of properties advertised this week will not be ready for viewing immediately. Successful applicants will be invited to view once the property is ready to let.



Ref Number: 210130
Alnwick Rd SE12
3 Bed Parl Hse Gdn
Rad C/H
£141.56 pw



Ref Number: 210939
Throwley Close SE2
2 Bed Hse Gdn
Rad C/H
£113.62 pw



Ref Number: 211111
Parkdale Rd SE18
2 Bed Grnd Flr Flat
Entry phn
Rad C/H No Pkg
£108.04 pw



Ref Number: 211120
Norman Rd SE10
2 Bed 2nd Flr Mais
Unlifted Entry phn
Rad C/H No Pkg
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The property reference will be on the advert and your applicant number is on the letter we sent to you when you registered for housing.

A successful bid will look like this:

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You will need to do a separate text for each property you wish to bid for and the text is charged at your mobile provider's standard rate. You will receive a text response to confirm your bid within 5 minutes.

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- 5 bedroom to a 3 bedroom (or smaller) home

For more information contact the Project Team on:

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Choice hotline 020 8921 4340

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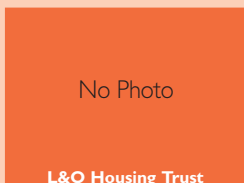
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Plumstead High St SE18
2 Bed 2nd Flr Flat
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Important Notice

Please note the closing date to register your bids for advertised properties will be **every Sunday at midnight.**



Ref Number: 211281
The Firs Congleton Gr SE18
1 Bed 1st Flr Flat Lifted
Entry phn Rad C/H
£99.14 incl Htg
£14.94 pw



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Ref Number: 55940
Peel Yates Hse Carr Grove SE18
2 Bed Grnd Flr Flat
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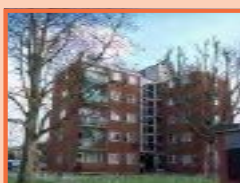
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1 Bed 7th Flr Flat Lifted
Entry phn Rad C/H
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£14.94 pw



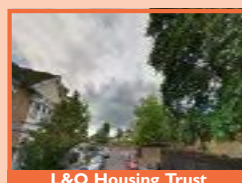
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Bellot St SE10
2 Bed Grd Flr Flat
Rad C/H
No Pets No Pkg
£130.52 pw



Ref Number: 211292
Kirkham St SE18
2 Bed 1st Flr Flat
Lifted Entry phn
Warm Air
£105.75 pw



Ref Number: 211306
Bracondale Rd SE2
2 Bed 3rd Flr Flat
Lifted Entry phn
Rad C/H No Pkg
£97.76 pw



Ref Number: 211322
Eglinton Rd SE18
1 Bed 1st Flr Flat
Unlifted Rad C/H
No Pets No Pkg
£94.01 pw

Applicants over 50+ can apply



Ref Number: 211262
Gill Ct Burrage Rd SE18
1 Bed Grnd Flr Flat
Rad C/H
£101.49 incl Htg
£14.94 pw



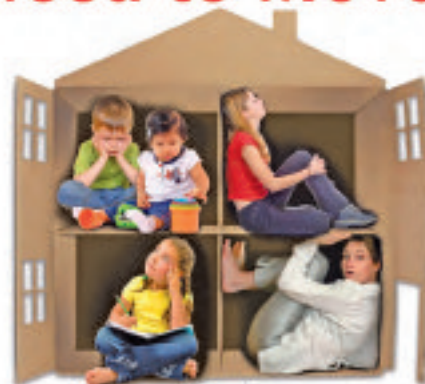
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Gill Ct Burrage Rd SE18
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Unlifted Rad C/H
£101.49 pw incl Htg
£14.94 pw



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Simnel Rd SE12
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IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ROYAL BOROUGH TENANTS WHO ARE MOVING

DON'T GET A BILL AFTER YOU LEAVE

Under the conditions of your tenancy agreement, you have a responsibility to leave your property in an acceptable state of repair. We may visit you to check this. If we consider your property is in an unacceptable condition, you may be prevented from moving or be recharged for work.

To avoid getting an unwelcome bill, follow these rules:

- Repair any damage caused to the property by you, your family or visitors to your home.
- Make good any changes you have made to your property e.g. put back any doors that you have removed.
- Make sure your garden is not overgrown and you have cleared all garden waste.
- Clear all your items from the inside and the outside of the property. This includes any loft space, external cupboards or sheds.
- Return all the keys to the Royal Borough's offices no later than midday on Monday (or Tuesday if it is a Bank Holiday). You will be charged a further week's rent if you do not return your keys on time.

If you leave repairs that are your responsibility, or items that require disposal you will be charged the cost of this work.

Special Collection Service

The Royal Borough offers a Special Collection Service for tenants who are moving and want to dispose of something big and bulky, like a sofa or a fridge, and even unwanted clothes and other textiles.

Simply contact Waste Services on 020 8921 4661 and tell them where you live and what you would like taken away.

Items we will collect include:

Fridges, freezers, washing machines, beds, sofas, clothes and carpets (carpets must be cut up and tied into manageable bundles that one person can carry).

Items we DO NOT collect include:

Fitted kitchens, bathroom suites, boilers, sheds, fences and rubble.

For further information, please contact Waste Services on **020 8921 4661**.

Please leave your home in a good condition!

This is what happened to the homes advertised in issue 481

Address	Bed-rooms	Property Type	No of Bids	Reg date of successful app	Band
Pellipar Gardens SE18 5EG	3	MAISONETTE	334	27/02/2015	B1
Annandale Road Greenwich SE10 0JZ	1	FLAT	496	12/09/2014	B1
Tawney Road SE28 8EE	3	MAISONETTE	169	20/07/2015	B2
Floyd Road SE7 8AR	3	HOUSE		Not ready	
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	458	27/11/2015	B1
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	340	11/08/2011	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	244	06/07/2012	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	237	29/05/2001	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	197	11/07/2011	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	212	21/02/1994	A
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	220	11/01/2012	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	197	06/03/2008	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	188	31/12/2015	B1
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	211	08/02/2006	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	2	FLAT		No eligible bids	
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	2	FLAT		No eligible bids	
Acworth House Barnfield Road SE18 3TW	2	FLAT		Not ready	
Peterstone Road SE2 9XY	2	FLAT		Not ready	
Nightingale Vale SE18 4EN	3	HOUSE		Not ready	
Gilbert House Mcmillan Street SE8 3DJ	1	FLAT		Not ready	
Lambarde Avenue SE9 3HQ	2	FLAT		Not ready	
Armada Court Mcmillan Street SE8 3EZ	1	FLAT		Not ready	
Sewell Road SE2 9XW	3	MAISONETTE		Not ready	
Kidbrooke Park Close SE3 0EG	2	FLAT	407	15/05/2004	B1
Charlton Lane SE7 8AA	2	FLAT	594	14/03/2015	B1

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please note you must tell us as soon as possible if there is any change in the information you have given on your form. If you do not do so, your application will be invalid.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Heating Charge for RBG properties

Please note rent for Council properties may include a heating charge which is NOT covered by Housing Benefit.

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Wellington St. SE18 6HQ

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ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH
The Greenwich (Electric Vehicle Charging Parking Places) (Amendment No. 2) Order 2016
The Greenwich (Woolwich Market Street CPZ) (Parking Places) (Amendment No. 2) Order 2016

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 4, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to shorten by 5 metres the shared-use parking place on the south-west side of **Market Street**, outside No. 35 Market Street (former police station), and replace it with an electric vehicles charging place for one vehicle. The electric vehicles charging place would be available 'at any one' to electric vehicles whilst charging at the adjacent charging point, for a maximum stay period of 4 hours.

3. A copy of the proposed Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders are available for inspection during normal office hours until the end of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or, as the case may be, the Council decides not to make the Orders, at the Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise and Skills, Strategic Transportation, Royal Borough of Greenwich, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ.

4. Further information may be obtained by telephoning Strategic Transportation on 020 8921 2357.

5. Any person who wishes to object to or make other representations about the proposed Orders should send a statement in writing by 29th March 2016, specifying the grounds on which any objection is made, to Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1Y 2NR (quoting reference PCL/TH/CW/1600002943).

6. Persons objecting to the proposed Order should be aware that in view of the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, this Council would be legally obliged to make any comments received in response to this notice, open to public inspection.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation
The Woolwich Centre,
35 Wellington Street,
SE18 6HQ
Dated 8th March 2016
(SIGNED: J.P. LINDSEY/MJG)

ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH

Funding grant for online skills support

NEPALESE elders can improve their online skills and keep in touch with relatives back home thanks to a donation of £18,165.

The money has been given to CESI - Community Empowerment and Support Initiatives which runs projects for the Nepalese community. It's come from the People's Postcode Trust, a grant-giving charity funded by the People's Postcode Lottery.

It means CESI can implement the Older People Digital Literacy Project aimed at

200 people over the age of 65 years from the Nepalese community. The project aims to empower them by helping them to develop skills for using digital devices so they can retrieve and use information. It means they can go online to pay utility bills, do online shopping or banking, as well as communicate through text messages, emails and other social media.

People's Postcode Trust is a grant-giving charity funded entirely by players of People's Postcode Lottery. 55p from every

£2 ticket goes to support good causes across Great Britain and internationally.

Rabina Shrestha, spokesperson for the Plumstead-based group, said: "The project means older people will have increased social contacts and networks which will help alleviate their loneliness and social isolation, but they'll also be able to communicate with their dispersed family members."

● For more information visit www.cesi-uk.org

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Royal Borough of Greenwich
Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (AS AMENDED)
Town & Country Planning (Development Management Procedure)(England) Order 2015
Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (AS AMENDED)
Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Regulations 1990 (AS AMENDED)

Notice is hereby given that application(s) have been made to The Royal Borough of Greenwich in respect of the under mentioned premises/sites. You can see the submissions and any plans during the hours of 9.00am to 5.30pm Monday to Friday and 9.00am to 5.00pm on Saturday at:-

Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, SE18 6QT
Also at <http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/planning> or at the Library shown between normal opening hours.

If development proposals affect Conservation Areas and/or Statutorily Listed Buildings under the Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Area) Act 1990 (As Amended) this will be shown within the item below.

Anyone who wishes to comment on these applications should be made in writing to Development Planning within 21 days of the date of this notice.

Please quote the appropriate reference number.

Date: 08/03/2016
Mike Hews - Chief Planning Officer

Publicity For Planning Applications

Applicant: Mr C Mann 36 HYDE VALE, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8QH Development: Construction of a replacement side garage Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8BN Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH	15/3172/F
Applicant: Mr A Halli 2A BROOKWAY, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 9BJ Development: Retention of alcove unit for garden outbuilding Library: Eltham Library, 2 Archery Road SE9 1BA Conservation Area: BLACKHEATH PARK	16/0216/F
Applicant: Mr A Verdenelli 5 ARSENAL ROAD, ELTHAM, LONDON, SE9 1JS Development: Loft conversion comprising 2 rear northfacing Library: Eltham Library, 2 Archery Road SE9 1BA Conservation Area: PROGRESS ESTATE	16/0367/F
Applicant: Mr M Farrell 46 MEREWORTH DRIVE, PLUMSTEAD, LONDON, SE18 3EE Development: Replacement driveway and paved areas in front garden with impervious concrete. Library: Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, Woolwich, SE18 6QT Conservation Area: SREWSBURY PARK ESTATE	16/0368/F
Applicant: Dr C Newton 44 ASHBURNHAM PLACE, GREENWICH, SE10 8UG Development: Installation of a rear replacement upvc bathroom window. Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8BN Conservation Area: ASHBURNHAM TRIANGLE	16/0404/F
Applicant: Mr R Morgan 7 SANDBY GREEN, ELTHAM, LONDON, SE9 6NJ Development: Construction of a single storey rear extension and loft conversion comprising rear Juliet balcony and roof lights. Library: Eltham Library, 2 Archery Road SE9 1BA Conservation Area: PROGRESS ESTATE	16/0406/F
Applicant: Mr I Abrahams 37 KIDBROOKE GROVE, KIDBROOKE, LONDON, SE3 0LJ Development: Construction of a 2-storey side and single storey rear extension. Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT Conservation Area: BLACKHEATH	16/0407/F
Applicant: Mr N Cutt 72A KIDBROOKE GROVE, KIDBROOKE, LONDON, SE3 0LF Development: Construction of replacement brick garage. Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT Conservation Area: BLACKHEATH	16/0409/F
Applicant: Mr & Mrs Floyd 25 MEREWORTH DRIVE, PLUMSTEAD, LONDON, SE18 3ED Development: Loft conversion comprising rear dormer window and insertion of roof light on side roof slope. Library: Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, Woolwich, SE18 6QT Conservation Area: SREWSBURY PARK ESTATE	16/0529/F

Publicity for Listed Building Consent

Applicant: Mr C Mann 36 HYDE VALE, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8QH Development: Construction of a replacement side garage Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8BN Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH Listed Building: Grade 2	15/3173/L
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Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation
The Woolwich Centre,
35 Wellington Street,
SE18 6HQ
Dated 8th March 2016
(SIGNED: J.P. LINDSEY/MJG)

ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH

SPORT

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HITTING THE GREEN: club members out in force last summer



Give bowling a try

BEGINNERS can try their hand at bowling at an open day event being organised by Plumstead Common Bowling Club.

It will be on Bank Holiday Monday, May 2, from 11am until 5pm.

Club spokeswoman Su Vint said: "We are a diverse and friendly club, and are looking for new members to join. But we are happy for people just to come along and give it a

go. They may be surprised at how much fun it is. We are open to all members of the community and welcome everyone, whatever their age.

"We only ask for participants to bring flat footwear on the day. We will supply the woods – the bowls – and give advice and training."

● **For more information, call Su after 5pm on 07855 626488.**



Royal Borough of Greenwich
Notice Of Planning Application.
Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (As Amended)
Town & Country Planning (Development Management Procedure)(England) Order 2015
Town & Country Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2011
(As Amended)

Proposed Development At: LAND AT LOVE LANE (PHASE 3 AND 4 WOODWICH CENTRAL), GRAND DEPOT ROAD, JOHN WILSON STREET, THOMAS STREET, WOOLWICH NEW ROAD, WOOLWICH TOWN CENTRE, SE18
Reference Number: 15/1267/RT

Notice is hereby given that an application is being made to the Royal Borough of Greenwich By: **Spenshill Developments Limited** for Renewal of Planning Permission in respect of: **Replacement of extant outline planning permission dated 27.07.07 for Phases 3 and 4 of permission Ref: 06/1751/O with the time limit for the submission of reserved matters in respect of each of these phases extended for a further two years (the balance of extant maximum permitted development in Phases 3 and 4 is as follows: up to 701 residential units, up to 1,430sq.m Retail/Food and Drink floorspace (Use Class A1/A3/A4/A5) and up to 2,500 sq.m Community and/or office use (Use Class D1 and/or B1)).**

This application is accompanied by an Environmental Statement which was approved pursuant to Outline Planning Permission Reference: 06/1751/O dated 27.07.07 and is also accompanied by an EIA Update which provides further information to the Environmental Statement approved in 2007 as referred to above. (Reconsultation on Additional Information). Drawing Number: 4435-06-016 Rev A, Planning Statement, EIA Update, OI Form, Letter dated 17.04.15, Approved Documents for Outline Planning Permission ref: 06/1751/O: F-01C, F-02, P-03B, P-03C, P-03D, P-03E, P-03F, P-03G, P-03H, P-03I, P-03J, P-03K, P-03L, P-03M, P-03N, P-03O, P-03P, P-03Q, P-03R, P-03S, P-03T, P-03U, P-03V, P-03W, P-03X, P-03Y, P-03Z, P-04A, P-04B, P-04C, P-04D, P-04E, P-04F, P-04G, P-04H, P-04I, P-04J, P-04K, P-04L, P-04M, P-04N, P-04O, P-04P, P-04Q, P-04R, P-04S, P-04T, P-04U, P-04V, P-04W, P-04X, P-04Y, P-04Z, P-05A, P-05B, P-05C, P-05D, P-05E, P-05F, P-05G, P-05H, P-05I, P-05J, P-05K, P-05L, P-05M, P-05N, P-05O, P-05P, P-05Q, P-05R, P-05S, P-05T, P-05U, P-05V, P-05W, P-05X, P-05Y, P-05Z, P-06A, P-06B, P-06C, P-06D, P-06E, P-06F, P-06G, P-06H, P-06I, P-06J, P-06K, P-06L, P-06M, P-06N, P-06O, P-06P, P-06Q, P-06R, P-06S, P-06T, P-06U, P-06V, P-06W, P-06X, P-06Y, P-06Z, P-07A, P-07B, P-07C, P-07D, P-07E, P-07F, P-07G, P-07H, P-07I, P-07J, P-07K, P-07L, P-07M, P-07N, 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MUHAMMAD Ali - the world's most famous boxer - went the full round with a cash donation to Greenwich Starting Blocks last week.

The three-time world heavy weight champion donated £7,500 to the trust from his foundation and his wife Lonnie came to present the money during a visit to a new exhibition dedicated to his life.

I Am The Greatest: Muhammad Ali at The O2 opened last Thursday (March 3) and as part of the day, Lonnie met Greenwich Starting Blocks (GSB) athletes to officially hand over the cheque.

Present at the event were triple jumper Tosin Oke, British weightlifting champion, Zoe Smith, and boxer Jenna O'Reilly, as well as Peter Bunday, chair of Greenwich Starting Blocks.

Jenna told GT: "I had a great conversation with Lonnie – being a boxer myself, we had a really good affinity. She encouraged me to

continue with my training and she's inspired me to work even harder.

"There is no doubt that the money donated by the foundation will really help me and my fellow Starting Block Athletes as it provides bursaries that go towards all sorts of training."

Peter Bunday said: "We are overjoyed to receive this magnificent gesture from the Muhammad Ali Family Foundation. The funding received is hugely important and will make a real difference to the lives and future aspirations of so many local young talented athletes. It was a very special occasion for all of our athletes to meet Lonnie and hear first-hand the importance of sporting values of inspiration, achievement, equality and citizenship."

Greenwich Starting Blocks has supported more than 400 young athletes with the costs of training and competing since it was formed in 2007.

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Details about the exhibition on pages 14 & 15.